

VILLAGE LODGE No. 315 F&A M

Meetings Every Tuesday 6:30 PM

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A SPECIAL DAY

Wishing our brothers, a
"Happy Birthday" on their
Special Day of Remembrance on
the month of December. We wish
The Great Architect of the
Universe spread upon them all
the blessing, health, and
happiness.

DEGREES

Village Lodge hosted in the last
months three degrees.
We did two courtesy FC
Degrees in October and one
MM Degree in November. As
result 14 Brothers were passed
to FC Degree and 05 Brothers
were raised to the sublime
Degree of MM.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

*"The strength of Freemasonry is in its
loyalty to each other." Vasilios Karpos*

Are we practicing Loyalty? • • •

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Please elevate your prayers on
behalf RW Bob Rose, who is still
under medical care. We ask that
you remember those of who you
know may having difficult times,
be sure that your support can
make the difference. Thanks
GOD for healing our Brothers.

YOU ARE INVITED

To participate in our open
Discussion "How can
we improve our
Lodge?" Share your
ideas among brothers
and officers.



To join us in our WEEKLY
Degree practices every Tuesday
6:00 PM to 6:45 PM. Come and
enjoy with us.

We were honored for the
confidence received from 3
Lodges that sent their members
to receive their well-deserved
degrees. Village Lodge has an
enormous gratitude to our
Degree team that has been
working since the beginning
this year to perform all 3
degrees. Thanks to our Degree
Masters Worshipful Bill Staley
and Joe Falco. Great job!

CARDS CERTIFICATE

Several Brothers from Village
Lodge received cards
Certificates of Proficiency: Blue
and white Cards.
Congratulations W Joe Falco,
Br Diogo Jesus, Br Mike Dupa
and Br Carl Smart. W Falco is
preparing himself to the Gold
card. Will be the first Brother
after many years.

This section is dedicated to publish RW
Robert Rose thoughts and inspired letters.

"December 2012

The Influence of Example

As the end of the Masonic year comes
closer, we prepare our Officers to
"advance if elected".
Our thoughts at the same time should
be turning to the newly elevated Past
Master, who is about to surrender the
"gavel". While being a Past Master
gives credence in having pride in
oneself, he should take pride in the
accomplishments that he has made. He
should also develop a sense of
humility, which should overcome that
feeling of pride.

We could define humility as a
foundation for strength and evidence of
one's wisdom. Which are bases for
building one's character. And as he has
learned the teachings of Freemasonry
in his Masonic journey, he realizes that
he is only a small part of the plan put in
place by the Grand Geometrician of the
Universe.

So, in the life of the conscientious
Mason, the battle is between pride and
humility. For the Mason worthy of this
most important station, humility will
have to be the winner.

We all should have pride in our
achievements, and in the honors which
have been conferred upon us, but we
must first be humble in all that we do,
as all Masons must be in this great
Fraternity.

Faternally,
Bob"

Humility is the key word.
Thank you RW Br Bob Rose.